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Football Notes

By the signs of the last few days football has surely returned and every evening down at the sports ground can be seen a fine aggregation of leather chasers getting themselves in shape for the coming seasons games. It is very gratifying to note the splendid material that has turned out to these practices and it is a positive fact that this years team will far excel the champion eleven of last year, and by the way it took a first class team of Lloydminster's calibre to just beat them. Now all we want is to have more men down to the grounds for these practices to give Chauvins representatives the necessary opposition to make them go the limit for the honours.

The game itself offers splendid exercise for those requiring to get into good condition why—its the only thing. So come along to the grounds any fine evening and enjoy one of the best games created. There will be most likely a match with Wainwright or some other neighbouring town on the 24th of May so lets get together and chose the team to trim them as Chauvin has done in the past. ttt

Baseball Notes

A very successful practice was held last Thursday evening, every candidate showing marked improvement over the first practice. It is earnestly requested that every player report practice every Tuesday and Thursday at 7 p.m. sharp from now on if we are going to be able to put a team in the field that will be a credit to Chauvin.

We are pleased to welcome Mr. D. J. Sharp, of Daysland who is filling the position of Accountant at the Merchants Bank.

Death of Helen Doer

The many friends in Sulphur Springs, and vicinity will extend the hand of sympathy towards Mr. and Mrs. Doer and family, who recently sustained the loss of their daughter and sister Helen. She seemed some time ago to be a girl of great promise but last year contracted the "Flu", and towards the end of January of this year the effects of the old malady settled upon the lungs. From then she began to sink rapidly. Her character constituted all that was good and beautiful. She had a lofty musical attainment.

Towards the end the approach of death was more rapid than was anticipated. Half an hour before she died she called her friends all into her room—told her mother how to dispose of all her possessions—kissed each one, and bid them all good-bye stating that if she had known that death was so sweet she would have liked to have gone long ago. To her mother who was crying she said "Don't cry, mother, It feels so good to die, and I am so glad to go".

She then said "Have I missed anyone". She then waved with her hand to "stand back and let me go" Her face lit up with smiles as she passed out to the Great Beyond..

There are left besides her father and mother her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Austin to mourn her loss.

Rev. Mitchelson attended to her spiritual needs.

The Pall-bearers were her school chums: John Appleby, Joe Becker, Albert Emslie, Robert Emslie, and Bruce Austin.

Leaholme U. F. W. A.

The Leaholme U.F.A. will hold their regular meeting at Prosperity school on Friday, May 13th at 8 p.m.

First Poll Tax Paid To Chauvin S. D.

Poll Tax: The first man to pay the new Poll Tax in the Village School District was Mr. J. Clifford, who expressed his opinion that it was a privilege to be able to take a part in the upkeep of the Educational system in the district for such a small sum as \$4.00.

W. L. A. Notes

The Ladies Auxiliary of Westminster church purpose holding an exhibition and sale of work early in June preliminary to the Annual December sale. Samples of work will be displayed and those wishing similar articles for Christmas gifts, etc. will give their order. These will be made and sold at the December sale. The samples will be sold on the day they are exhibited. The orders of course will not entirely constitute the fall sale.

Further details regarding the June exhibition will be published later. This early announcement is to give anyone wishing to contribute ample time.

Gun Licences

Those requiring to obtain gun license will be able to obtain same next Saturday when Magistrate Dawson will be in town to issue same.

For the benefit of those who have not yet obtained their license, applications will be received at the Chauvin Chronicle office at any time.

The cost of these licenses are .25c. It is the intention of the government to enforce this law after May 1st.

Mr. O. E. Well, of Senlac, Sask. shipped in a mixed load to Mr. Kennedy, Edmonton.

Chauvin Village Council Meeting

A meeting of the Council of the Village of Chauvin was held in the Secretary's office at 8 p.m. Monday April 18 1921.

Present: Reeve Parcels and Councillors A. E. Keith C. G. Forryan; Reeve Parcels in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting were read, and on motion A. E. Keith—C. G. Forryan were adopted as read.

Communications: A communication was received from C. Laws asking for use of athletic ground for June 3rd for school.

Moved C. G. Forryan A. E. Keith that privilege be granted to the school Carried.

Communication from the Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs re rate for supplementary revenue tax on real and land value of the village. \$63,500.00 rate 2 mills making \$127.00 for 1921. Communication filed.

Communication from Deputy Minister Affairs regarding Block 10 plans 11-C-L saying they could find no trace of the minister's authorization having been given to purchase the same. Communication filed.

Moved A. E. Keith—C. G. Forryan that all garbage, ashes, cans, offal, all refuse, paper, etc. be cleaned up on all premises in the village before May 7th or the village would authorize having same done at owners expense. Carried.

Reeve Parcels reported having interviewed Deputy Minister of Telephones from Province of Alberta and the Superintendent of Telephones, who said that he was in communication with Saskatchewan and as soon as they could make arrangements the Artland line would be connected up at an early date.

For Pure Drugs—Chauvin Pharmacy

Important Changes In Train Service

Very important changes in the train service will come into effect on Monday next, May 2nd. The trains that previously served all local stations will do so no longer. In their stead we will be served by one local train each way, daily, except Sunday, on which day we will have no service.

The eastbound local will leave Chauvin at 6.07 a.m., and arrive at Melville at 11.10 p.m. in time for the passengers to transfer to the Continental Ltd, for Winnipeg and the east.

The westbound local will depart at 9.43 p.m., and reach Wainwright, its terminal at 10.50 p.m. Passengers for the west and Edmonton will proceed from Wainwright at 6.30 a.m. the next morning and will reach Edmonton at 11.10 a.m.

Passengers from Edmonton will have to leave that city at 5.30 p.m. in order to reach home at 6.07 a.m. next day. Train 1. leaves Winnipeg daily at 10.00 p.m., Saskatoon 1.25 p.m., Edmonton 11.50 p.m. arriving Vancouver 8.20 a.m.

Train 2. leaves Vancouver daily at 7.45 p.m., Edmonton 6.45 a.m., Saskatoon 5.05 p.m. arriving Winnipeg at 10.00 a.m.

Extreme indignation is being freely expressed at Edgerton and Chauvin in regard to the poor railway service to Edmonton. We are placed off the Alberta map.

Mr. Code whilst in Edmonton spent no little time putting in a plea for a better train service.

A petition for improved railroad has been by the Chauvin business men forwarded to head quarters.

Mr. I. W. Wiley, shipped in two loads of sheep to Mr. R. A. McKinnon of Edmonton.

List of Prizes Offered by Chauvin Agricultural Society For Ladies Work Get Your Work Started Early and Win Some of This Real Money

RULES, CONDITIONS, Etc.

1. Exhibits competing for prizes must be the production of the exhibitor. No Exhibitor must be ready to prove that work shown has been done by her. Articles presented for exhibition must be fresh and clean.

2. All exhibits must be delivered not later than 10 a.m. Friday, August 13th.

3. Positively no article will be eligible for a prize that has won prizes at the Chauvin Agricultural Society's Exhibition in previous years.

4. No Article can be shown in more than one class.

5. Judges reserve the right to withhold prizes where there is not sufficient competition.

SOLID EMBROIDERY

in Linen or Cotton

1 Centre Piece \$1.50 .75
2 Pillow Case 1.50 .75
3 Sideboard Scarf 1.50 .75
4 Collar and Cuffs 1.50 .75
5 Lunch Cloth 1.50 .75

EYELET EMBROIDERY

in Linen or Cotton

6 Centre Piece 1.50 .75
7 Pillow Cases 1.50 .75
8 Sideboard Scarf 1.50 .75
9 Collar and Cuffs 1.50 .75
10 Lunch Cloth 1.50 .75

11 Centre Piece 1.50 .75
12 Sideboard Runner 1.50 .75
13 Cushion 1.50 .75
14 Pincushion 1.50 .75
15 Five O'clock Tea Cloth 1.50 .75

CROCHET

16 Baby's Outfit, edged with Crochet: 6.00 3.00

17 Corset Cover, crochet trim'd 1.00 .50

18 Nightdress, crochet trimmed 1.00 .50

19 Chemise, crochet trimmed 1.00 .50

20 Samples of Irish Crochet 1.00 .50

21 Tray Cloth, edged 1.00 .50

22 Infants Bonnet 1.00 .50

23 Infants Carriage Cover, edged 1.00 .50

24 Childs Dress, crochet trim'd 1.00 .50

25 Infants Booties 1.00 .50

26 Crochet Collar 1.50 .75

TATTING

27 Pair Towels, tatted edges 1.00 .50

28 3 Handkerchiefs tatted edges 1.00 .50

29 Bureau Scarf, tatting trim'd 1.00 .50

30 Tatted Corset Cover 1.50 .75

PAINTING

on Silk or Satin

31 1 Pin Cushion 1.00 .50

32 1 Sofa Cushion 1.00 .50

33 1 Tea Cosy 1.00 .50

34 Specimen of Stencilling .. 1.00 .50

35 Specimen of Fretwork 1.00 .50

36 Collection of Sketches, (Veterans) 1.00 .50

KNITTING

37 Knitted Sweater, lady's .. 3.00 2.00

38 Knitted Socks 2.00 1.00

39 Specimen Home Spun Yarn 2.00 1.00

40 Mens Gloves 1.50 .75

41 Child's Petticoat 1.50 .75

42 Knitted Tam o' Shanter .. 1.50 .75

MISCELLANEOUS

43 Woman's House Dress 2.00 1.00

44 Woman's Blouse 1.50 .75

45 Girls Middy, monkey style 1.50 .75

46 Child's Dress, colored material 1.50 .75

47 Fancy Apron 1.00 .50

48 Overall Apron 1.00 .50

49 Boudoir Cap 1.00 .50

50 Workbag, fancy 1.00 .50

51 3 Articles made from Cotton Sacks 1.50 .75

52 Man's Work Shirt, machine sewn 1.00 .50

53 Boy's Shirt 1.00 .50

54 Boy's Overalls 1.00 .50

55 Child's Rompers 1.00 .50

56 Man's Pajamas 1.00 .50

57 Woman's Petticoat (colored) 1.00 .50

58 Specimen of Darning (on Socks) 1.00 .50

59 Specimen of Patching on Trouser 1.00 .50

60 Any kind of Rug, (most artistic) 2.00 1.00

61 Bedroom Slippers 1.00 .50

62 Bouquet of Wild Flowers .. 1.00 .50

63 Collection of House Plants .. 3.00 2.00

64 Collection of Local Farm Views 1.00 .50

Stock, Buildings, or local Scenery, mounted on Cardboard 2.00 1.00

CLASS 30

JUNIOR'S DEPARTMENT (10 to 16 years inclusive)

(Rules the same as for Class 29)

1 Knitted Cap and Scarf 2.00 1.00 .50

2 Fancy Apron (colored) 1.00 .50 .25

3 1 pair of Embroidered Towels 1.50 .75 .25

4 White Apron, with crochet trim 1.00 .50 .25

5 Crochet Yoke 1.50 .75 .25

6 Samples of Darning .. 1.00 .50 .25

7 Pair Knitted Socks .. 2.00 1.00 .75

8 Three Handkerchiefs, tatted edges

ANCIENT FREE & ACCEPTED MASON

ALBION LODGE, No. 97
CHAUVIN, ALBERTAMeets first Thursday in month
Visiting Brethren WelcomeA. C. Gifford, W.M.
O. Hawthorn, Secy.**Canadian Census
Taken Next June**

On June 1, 1921, 24,000 enumerators will commence to gather the information required by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics in the decennial census of Canada. This is the national stock taking, which takes place every ten years in all civilized countries. The United States took theirs last year; Britain and Canada will take theirs this year. In Alberta and Saskatchewan a partial census is taken every five years, but the ten year census extends all over Canada, and is much more extensive than the five-year Alberta and Saskatchewan census.

The census this year is in two main parts, viz., the census of population and the census of agriculture. The census of manufacturing and other industries is taken every year on returns from the Department of Statistics. The census of population records the names, addresses, ages, religious beliefs, incomes, nationality, race, education, etc., of every living person resident in Canada on June 1, 1921. The census of agriculture records the acreage, values, expenses, crops, animals, implements, revenues, etc., of every farm in Canada.

The town man is let off rather more easily than his country brother. He will have to answer only about thirty-eight questions, whereas the farmer will have to give information on an additional hundred points in connection with his farm operations.

The town man will, among other data, have to inform the enumerator of his total earnings during the twelve months prior to June 1, the number of weeks unemployed during the same period and the number of weeks unemployed through illness during this time.

In the census of agriculture, full information is required as to the man-

ner of operation of each farm, i.e., whether owned or rented, and if rented, on what basis; the acreage of improved land, pasture, fallow, etc., the sale value of the farm with buildings; the value of the buildings, the value of the implements. All cash expenditure in 1920 must be given as well as the estimated value of board and room furnished helpers in addition to wages.

All grains, grass, hay and forage and root crops harvested in 1920 acreage, quantity and value of each must be given, as well as the acreage planted for the 1921 harvest. The quantity and value of firewood, fence poles, produced on the farm during 1920 must be given as well as full information regarding the number and value of all live stock products (milk, etc.); farm facilities (tractor, automobile, electric light, etc.)

The quantity and value of all farm products sold through co-operative farmers' organizations during 1920 are required.

All census enumerators are bound by oath not to divulge any information they obtain to anyone except their superior officers, who are also bound by oath so that the secrecy of all census information is obtained.

The values given to the enumerators are not for the purpose of taxation—municipal, provincial or dominion—but for the use of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics for statistical purposes only.

Heavy penalties are provided in the Act for refusal to give information to the enumerators.

The organization for the census this year is better than that of any preceding census, and the enumerators work is simplified considerably so that with the co-operation of every citizen, this should be taken more quickly and efficiently than in any previous enumeration.

**Grasshopper Plague
Is Not Unlikely**

In spite of best hopes to the contrary, there is great danger and every indication of a serious grasshopper plague in the province this year.

During the winter experts have been working, and a definite examination of the grasshopper eggs has been made, with the result that multitudes of the hoppers are expected in Alberta this year, and that they will show as soon as the warm weather encourages them from their cells.

A cool, wet spring might prevent a serious outbreak, but all indications lead the officials to expect and prepare for the most serious outbreak there has yet been. Inquiries have been made over practically the whole province, and the reports show that it is southern and central Alberta which is likely to be chiefly infested. An examination of eggs from widely separated areas goes to show that the eggs have passed the winter in such shape that they will hatch into strong hoppers.

It has been found that there will be much greater danger from the pelid grasshopper that infests the stubble than heretofore. Last year, it was chiefly the roadside hopper that appeared, and these were much

more easily controlled. To meet the scourge of the hopper in the stubble, the Department advises the farmer to plow the stubble in infested areas, so the eggs will be broken up and exposed, thus preventing a large number of them from hatching.

For purposes of organization to meet the plague, the department has organized the province into six districts, a school of agriculture constituency forming a district, and the principal of the school in charge in each district. Benjamin Lawson, chief game guardian for the province, is in charge of the purchase and wholesale distribution of poisoned bait.

Already four cars of molasses have been purchased, 15 cars of bran and 50,000 pounds of arsenic. This material will be shipped direct to the schools for storage and distribution. Reserve stores will be held at Edmonton and Calgary. This year it is planned to use an equal bulk of sawdust with the bran, and in all probability the use of oranges and lemons will be discontinued. The bait can be purchased at cost, and will be handled either through the local U.F.A. or the municipality. Enquiry can be made of the principal of the school.

Lurid posters are being prepared to point out the danger of the grasshopper pest, and these will be distributed. The formula of the poison calls

for one pound of paris green or, arsenic to be mixed thoroughly with 25 pounds of bran; dilute two quarts of low-grade molasses with two or three gallons of warm water and add the juice and rind of three finely chopped lemons or oranges. It is proposed to leave out the latter in the general use this year, however. This syrup will be thoroughly mixed with the poisoned bran to form a wet mash and distributed throughout the infested fields.

**ALBERTA
RESTAURANT
MEALS
AT ALL HOURS**

A GOOD MEAL is the thing the framer wants when in town. That is what we aim to serve, at a moderate price and well cooked by a white man. Give us a trial

J. CLIFFORD
Returned Soldier
CHAUVIN ALBERTA

KEITHS LIVERY BARN, CHAUVIN
THE BEST VENTILATED
BARN IN THE DISTRICT

**MENS
RAINCOATS**

WITH SPRING AT HAND and the RAINY SEASON ALREADY in evidence it behoves us to think of some PROTECTION FOR OUR CLOTHES

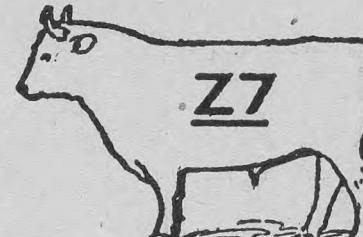
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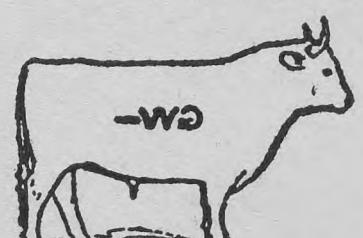
CATTLE BRANDED



are the property of George Tessier,
Chauvin
And Also

HORSES BRANDED
on left shoulder

CATTLE BRANDED



are the property of W. Gibbard
Marsden Post Office, Sask.

The Baconians seem to be able to convince themselves that Bacon wrote Shakespeare, but even they still call it Shakespeare.

One of the fundamentals of our government is free speech, and yet we allow our chautalkers to charge a couple hundred dollars a lecture.

There's one thing about music on a phonograph—you can shut it off any time you want to without hurting the feelings of the performers.

It is better to use the morning sunlight than to burn the midnight oil—and more economical.

Lots of men will open a \$50 pot on a pair of jacks and kick up an awful rumpus the next morning if their wives want to open a \$1 bank account for the baby.

To keep in a healthy condition charity needs to be exercised daily, but need not be done publicly.



Good pipes and good pipe values are here also cigars, cigarettes, smoking tobacco and other things smokers want.
G. Mc NUTT
THE POOL ROOM
CHAUVIN, ALBERTA

More Down Prices

Halters, Black Leather	1.50
Halters, Raw Hide	2.50
14 tooth Garden Rakes	.45
14 tooth Garden Rakes	.85
4 string Carpet Brooms	.85
Mica Axe Grease, 1 lb, .25c; 3 lbs	.70
10 lbs 2.25, 25 lbs 4.75	
Coal Oil per gallon	.45
Horse Collars, \$2.50, 3.25, 5.00, 6.00, 7.50	
Rope Traces, was \$7.00 per set, now	5.50
Single Driving Harness, with Hames	27.00
Auto Robes, were 15.00, now 12.50	
Auto Robes, were 10.00, now 8.00	
Riding Bridles, complete with Bit	2.50

Will the parties who have our Jack Screw, Chain Wrench and Bung Borer kindly return same at once.

G. W. ALLAN & Co

C. P. R. LANDS

You have possibly been thinking for years of adding some adjoining C. P. R. LAND to your farm acreage

You know the advantage of doing so in the interest of your Mixed Farming Policy and this year may be your last opportunity of securing the land you want

I am always at your service when information relative to the Company's Land is required.

A. C. GIFFORD

C. P. R. LAND AGENT,
CHAUVIN, ALBERTA.

Panama Route Proves Satisfactory

Grain men, and other organizations, are keenly interested in the development of the movement of Western Canadian wheat to the old country via the Panama canal. It is recognized that if this traffic moves to any appreciable extent, that western provinces will be materially benefited.

The experiment already carried out by the shipment that was made by the Buenos Ayers some six weeks or two months ago, has turned out eminently satisfactory. It has amply proved that wheat can be forwarded by that route to arrive in splendid condition at destination. Evidently the

only point that is concerning grain men and others just now is the question of competitive Atlantic freight rates. If these are about equal the opinion is held that there would be a considerable movement via the Panama.

Underlying the whole thing and which is of the utmost importance to the farming community is the question of price for raw product. The world's price of wheat is fixed on the Liverpool market. It is pointed out, therefore, that if there was a saving by shipping the wheat by the new route that the farmers themselves would get the benefit of it. This is all the more important the fact that it is an unknown quantity as to what

the price of this year's wheat will be.

In the face of the fact that there are now hundreds, if not thousands of steamers laid up in the United Kingdom, some of the grain men are of the opinion that ocean freight rates will be very considerably reduced when the new crop is ready to move. That naturally would apply to the Atlantic as well as the Pacific, and practically the only difference would be in connection with the rail haul.

At the present time there is very little difference between the rates on grain to Vancouver as compared with Fort William or Port Arthur. It is further pointed out that, in the future it might be possible to load up at the head of the lakes for direct shipment overseas, which would be a militating factor against the Pacific route, assuming that there was very little difference in the railway rates.

All the same there are many people engaged in the grain trade who hold to the belief that Vancouver and the Panama canal is the logical gateway to Europe for a considerable quantity of the wheat in the three western provinces and that, if the trade were developed, it would have a far-reaching effect upon the prosperity of the West.

Will Go Ahead With Wheat Pool

Canadian Council of Agriculture
Will Apply For Incorporation
Charters

The special committee appointed by the Canadian Council of Agriculture to investigate the question of the wheat pool met today and decided to proceed with the proposition, and application will be made to the respective provincial legislatures at their next session for charters of incorporation. The action, it is stated, was taken while recognizing the fact that the proposed federal inquiry may be directed towards embarrassing the efforts of the farmers in this direction.

The proposed association will have as its nucleus the United Grain Growers, Limited, and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator company. The former includes the Grain Growers of Manitoba and Alberta. The purpose of the association will be the co-operative marketing of the grain crop of Canada, commonly known as the wheat pool.

The members of the committee present were: H. W. Wood, chairman, United Farmers of Alberta; Col. J. S. Fraser, United Farmers of Ontario; J. E. Musselman, Saskatchewan; J. L. Brown, of Manitoba; Rice Jones and J. E. Colier, United Grain Growers, Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator company.

Eclipse of Moon

Last Thursday

Chauvin folks looking skyward on Thursday night before and after the midnight hour noted that the moon showed only a thin horizontal slice. The radiant silvery disc was entirely obscured in blackness of night.

The occasion of this peculiar phenomenon was an almost total eclipse of the moon, a condition which the laws of astronomy seldom bring to pass, except at long intervals.

Dr. H. M. Tory gave some light on the evident eccentricities of the moon by stating that the disappearing act was due to the earth passing directly between the moon and the sun, thus casting its shadow across more in which the relative positions of these three planetary bodies remained practically the same.

Partial eclipses of the moon may take place several times within a year or may skip a whole year, but a total eclipse such as witnessed last night is an occasion for which astronomers will sit up nights waiting to make observations. The eclipse Thursday night started about 11 p.m. and was completed by one a.m.

Government control has left the industry bankrupt," says a British owner. Sounds familiar, doesn't it? Wonder where we heard the same statement before?

Useful Hints

A man struck a match to see if the gasoline tank of his car was empty. It wasn't.

A man patted a strange bull-dog to see if the animal was affectionate. It wasn't.

A man speeded up to see if he could beat a train to the crossing. He couldn't.

A merchant cut out his advertisement to see if he could save money. He couldn't.

You can differ from your fellow-men in this country on public policy, and get away with it. But in Russia you have to think as Lenin-Trotzky & Co. order, or they get away with you.

Mischief is a fool's sport.

War Bond Coupons Cashed Free



The Merchants Bank
will cash all War Loan
coupons or interest cheques
when due, on presentation,
without making any charge
whatever for the service. If you
have not a Savings Account,
why not use your interest
money to open one with this Bank?

THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA

Established 1864.
D. McDONALD, Manager.
S. J. BOYD, Manager.

Buy a Farm

YOU often dream of buying a farm, and just as often you dismiss the idea, saying, "But it would need capital to do that!"

Why not start to make your dream come true? Open a Savings Account to day with us. Save something every week and you will soon have the capital you need.

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UNION BANK OF CANADA

Chauvin Branch Manager

Make Your Dollars Go Further By Picking Up The Bargains

Gillette Big Fellow, 12 blades	3.75
Gillette Razors, 12 blades	3.75
Marswell's Cream Separator 300 lbs	72.50
Marswell's Cream Separator 500 lbs	.87.50
Steel Rakes, Curved Teeth	1.00
Screen Doors, 1 1-8, Mortized	4.00
Screen Doors, 1 1-8 Mort'd Solid Panel	5.50
Perfection Oil Stove, 2 Burners	20.00
Royal Gasoline Irons	6.00
Sunlight Wringers	6.25

J. A. Montjoy
CHAUVIN ALBERTA

CITY MEAT MARKET

We have Fresh killed Beef, Mutton and Pork all high grade meats. Also Cured Hams and Bacon.

First shipment of fresh Salmon, and Halibut, direct from the coast will arrive next week.

Highest prices paid for Butter and Eggs

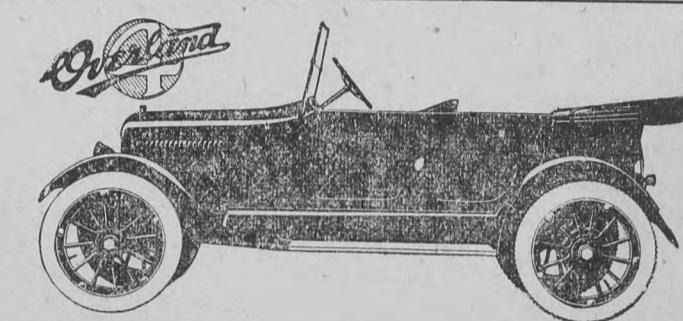
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FIRE INSURANCE

INSURE with the WESTERN MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO., the largest Alberta Mutual Co., Head Office Didsbury, Alberta. If you intend to insure this year DO IT NOW, as the note taken in payment of the premium is due only November 1st, without interest. For more information, call and see

A. C. NACHTERGAELE
Edmonton City Dairy Building, CHAUVIN



This is the new LIGHT OVERLAND FOUR

Engineers have been working for years to obtain a car of light weight and economy which would have good riding qualities.

We have accomplished this task by the use of the Overland diagonal Three-point Cantilever Spring Suspension.

This Spring Suspension gives us one overwhelming advantage—the greatest improvement since the invention of pneumatic tires.

It results in a new comfort and greater economy.

The entire car is built around this spring suspension.

The riding qualities have surprised every passenger during two years of tests covering more than 50,000 miles.

This Spring Suspension increases the spring base 30 inches over the actual wheel base.

The weight is suspended diagonally at one central point 15 inches beyond the front axle and 15 inches back of the rear axle.

The body is carried steadily. Side sway is reduced.

Bobbing or pitching is minimized.

The car is so perfectly balanced that it gives the passengers an entirely new sensation of riding buoyancy.

When hitting a bump these springs, because of their diagonal attachment, receive an glancing blow. It deflects the force, swinging the axles up and gliding over without rebound. This lessens the shock to the frame and mechanism.

It also reduces tire wear.

The springs are made of the finest quality flexible chrome vanadium steel.

The spring flexibility has the same relative difference as pneumatic tires compared to solid tires. Pneumatic tires save your car, but solid tires would soon shake it to pieces.

These diagonally suspended springs permit any wheel to drop into a hole with less strain on the frame and body or disturbance to the passengers.

This is invaluable when driving over bumpy roads, deep ruts or side inclines.

Hanging the springs on the axles close to the wheels and anchoring them diagonally to the frame at the central point 15 inches beyond, braces the body the same way a sailor steadies himself in a choppy sea with feet braced wide apart.

Obviously, any light car would have better roadability, and greater economy with our flexible diagonal spring suspensions.

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Notes From North East

Spring has at last arrived with its many anxieties. The race has begun and everyone is vieing with the other as to who can get most grain in in the quickest time. Reports say that many acres are already sown and the late rains strengthen the hopes of a bumper crop.

Mr. John Lampl was a business visitor to Chauvin last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mumps are prevalent in the district. We hope the spreading will be checked early.

Don't forget the Fram Grain Growers meeting on Saturday May 7th at 8 p.m. One object will be as whether the local shall hold a picnic this year. Other business of an important nature will arise, so it removes all members to be present.

The Brady Grain Growers will meet as usual on the last Saturday in the month in the School at 8 p.m.

The Fram Grain Growers will meet on the first Saturday in May at 8 p.m. when it is hoped to have Councillors Mitchell and Coe present.

The Manitou Ladies Aid will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Edward Foley, on April 20th to do sewing for a sale of work.

OUR NEW RAILWAY PROBLEM

With the opening of May a radical change in the passenger train service comes into effect. The Canadian National Railroads are planning to compete with the C.P.R. for the through coast to coast traffic.

The history of railroading is full of examples of the futility of deriving large profits from so-called "crack" trains. These trains have always brought notoriety to the company operating them, but it is only most occasionally that they bring profit. Certain it is that a fast service from Montreal to Winnipeg and Vancouver will be unprofitable for years to come. The running of these trains as "expresses" is an economic waste, even for the wealthy Canadian Pacific. The impoverished National road is now committed to this policy.

The National officials have made an earnest effort to provide an adequate service of local trains to and from the central points, such as Saskatoon and Edmonton. The new service provides opportunity for those wishing to visit these cities to arrive in the late forenoon, spend a few hours on business and return the same day. Due credit should be given to the officials who planned these new schedules. It would hardly be possible to improve on them under present conditions of traffic requirements.

After these words of praise, which we think are due, we pass on to further criticism.

The new schedule lamentably fails to give the necessary service to Alberta points east of Wainwright. These points are, for railway purposes cut out of Alberta and placed in Saskatchewan.

Of the traffic originating in Chauvin, ninety per cent is with Edmonton, as compared with ten per cent with Saskatoon, (to which point our local runs). The ninety per cent are now condemned to start late at night, spend a broken night at Wainwright, resume their journey and arrive at Edmonton thirteen and half hours later. To return is a repetition of the miserable adventure.

To the passenger it means duplicating the already high cost of railroad fare, with a similar amount spent on unsatisfactory expenses. No one will take the journey unless the same is absolutely necessary.

To the railroad it will mean a diminution of revenue from passenger traffic by reason of the lessened travelling on the one hand; and by reason of more and more traffic being diverted to Canadian Pacific to the south of this line.

Provincial, municipal, social and economic reasons all combine to send the main trend of our traffic west, and these conditions are permanent. The service to Saskatoon cannot compensate us for the lack of service to our capital city.

The cure for this unfortunate state of affairs can be easily found. It is that the so-called "Flyers" should call at Edgerton and Chauvin by "flag stops" for those passengers who are travelling to and from Edmonton and west of Edmonton, and similar privileges to persons travelling to and from Winnipeg and points east thereof.

It may be that such suggestions may be hurtful to the reputation the officials are anxious to get for their "pet" train, and they may urge that such a reasonable concession is "absolutely impossible" and that every other point from the Atlantic to the Pacific will ask for similar concessions; and so on and so forth.

To all of which, we point out that this district is the sole instance in which the new schedule has inflicted an outrage and handicapped the natural trend of traffic.

It is quite possible that the officials entirely overlooked the peculiar situation existing in Alberta to the east of Wainwright. We will assume that they have done so, and we ask them to remedy the situation by the method above suggested, that is by making both Edgerton and Chauvin "flag stations" for the "flyer".

Short Stories Of A Soldier's Life

The main question then was to get the new party busy digging, as there was no trench, only shell holes. Our boys had been digging when they came up, and as it would be daylight in a short time it was advisable to get busy right away. The two officers of the new party, our own officer and myself, set off down the right to note the lay of the land and to find the best location for the new party to start digging. We were wandering along following the officer who had been up there since noon, but I was keeping a watchful eye on the north star, and I knew that if we kept in the direction we were going in another 100 yards we would run into the Hessian trench, and as the Fritzes now held it I did not want to do so.

I told the officer that he was going too far to the left, and he told me that he had been up there all day and that he knew where he was going. "All right" old boy, I thought, and I kept to the rear as far as was possible without attracting attention for I had no idea of being captured. No fear. Not if I could help it.

Well it was a star shell that had a me and thereby saved me from running the party into the Hessian trench, and into the welcoming arms of Fritz, and it was a star shell that saved the day again. For we had not gone more than 15 yards after I had spoken to the officers when Fritz sent one of it over "Well, said the Lieut. (just the welcome dears into the darkness, over I guess) "We must see what we

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Sunday May 8th is to be a red letter day in the history of the local Oddfellows and Rebekahs. The members of these orders from Edgerton and Wainwright will visit Chauvin on this day to celebrate the 102nd anniversary. A public service will be held in the Oddfellow Hall, early in the afternoon, at which Rev. Bro. Maddocks, of Edgerton and Rev. Bro. Priestley, of Wainwright.

A hearty invitation is extended to the public to attend this service.

Church Services

WESTMINSTER CHURCH

SUNDAY, MAY 1st, 1921

11 a.m. Sunday School

3 p.m., Service at Killarney

7.30 p.m., Service at Chauvin

EGLISE DU SACRE COEUR

10.30 Grande Messe

8.30 Basse Messe

Rev. Pere Huet Curate

RIBSTONE FIELD

SUNDAY, MAY 1st, 1921

10.30 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m., Bloomington Valley

3 p.m. Prospect Valley

7.30 p.m., Ribstone

Express rates are so high that the common people can't even afford to express a wish that they be lowered.

Smiles are contagious, but don't infect for them.

are to write." "Yes" I answered. "But we will have to find a big shell hole first." We started to tour around in no-man's-land for a place in which to write the messages, (I did not want to be near the boys with the light as it might cast too much reflection, and found a nice big one about 75 yards in front of the new line.

I told the officers to get down into the bottom and to get all ready with they were ready and with that I flashed on the light, screening it from being seen from above and around as well as I could. It was some wait for me for I had my back half out of the shell hole, and I expected to feel something tickle my ribs at any moment. But at last the ordeal came to an end and I switched out the light.

Now just as an illustration of how busy the men were in the building of the new line. There had been no sentries posted, there had been enough men before we came up and now, I guess it had been overlooked by the sergts. We came from No-Man's-Land and walked right over the new line and no one challenged us at any time. In fact no one even noticed us I think.

The Capt. said he could go and get the men he wanted to act as runners. I told him I would wait there. He came back a little while after with one man, who he left with me, then he started out after the other one. While he was away, the fellow he had just brought started off and I asked him where he was going to, he replied that he would not be long and so I let him go. Just as he moved off into the darkness the officer came with the other man, he asked where the first fellow had gone and I told him he would be back in a minute and that I would look after him. The officer then moved off again and we, the runner and myself, waited for the other runner. I was beginning to think that he was never coming back when he pulled alongside us and said that he was ready. Guess that he had been making his will or something.

We started off and it was some dark now for it was that hour just prior to daybreak. We were traveling along at a pretty good rate

and neither them or myself were doing. After we had gone about half way to the sunken road one of the fellows stopped and of course we all stopped. "What is the matter?" I asked. The man who had just stopped, said "Say boy, You don't know where you are going." Well that was a stickler and to make quite certain I took a look at the north star, Yes, I was going all right I knew that in an instant. I turned to the fellow and said "Where would you hit for if you were going back to the headquarters?" He pointed, and after figuring it out, I told him that he would hit somewhere on the German line between there and Martinpouch.

"Well," he said, "We are going to go over there anyway." "Your damned right we are," said the other fellow. That got my nanny so I pulled my revolver and I said, "You're coming with me, see? or you are going to stay right here." I was boiling. Never since I had been a scout had my directions been so openly flouted, and the sore point of the matter was by two of the men who I had just lead into that line for maybe their first time.

Well the implied threat worked and they came along like the poor sheep that they were. Do not think that I would have hesitated at shooting them, for if they had made the slightest move to go the other way or to take their rifles off their shoulders they would have received the little piece of lead without the slightest hesitation at all. This is not a boast, but fact, and as I knew what I was doing and as I was entirely in the right I would have shot them down like dogs and then reported the matter to the Adj't. Of course petty mutiny of this kind doesn't look much, but get a couple like that in a crowd of dissatisfied men and see where you get off at.

(To be continued in our next)

Chauvin Sports Day To Be Held June 6th

A meeting of the Chauvin Athletic Society was held Saturday, April 23 1921. Mr. Cubitt, President in the

chair.

The minutes of the last preceding meeting were read by secretary. that they be accepted. Carried.

The question of holding sports day on July 1st came up and in the discussion which followed, the members decided that it would not be profitable to ourselves or fair to our neighboring towns to hold it on that date.

Moved R. Beatty—J. Pearch that we change the date of our sports day to July 6th. Carried.

Moved Geo. Allan—A. E. Keith that we advertise for tenders for the privilege of running the booth on sports day subject to the association's schedule of prices. All tenders to be in by June 15th. Any tenders not necessarily accepted.

Moved J. A. Code—Geo. Allan, that Mr. McKechnie be added to the executive committee. Carried.

Moved J. A. Code—G. Stewart that meeting adjourn. Carried.

Local Notes Of Interest

The pupils of the Chauvin School District were entertained by Mr. J. Clifford at the Alberta House Ice Cream Parlor on Monday, and partook of ice-cream and cake; this being the opening day for Mr. Clifford. The scholars were accompanied by Mr. C. Laws and Miss L. Freeman.

Mr. W. T. Corriveau, of Anyox, B.C. arrived in Chauvin on Saturday. He is at present staying with his brother, M. J. L. Corriveau, but it is his intention of making his home somewhere in the district.

Miss Annie Saul was home for the week-end.

Mr. McLaughlin, of Provost News was a business visitor to Chauvin last week.

Miss Sinclair and Miss Adeline Calder, who have been visiting Mr. and Sunday.

Miss Olive Folkins spent the week end with her parents in Chauvin.

A number of farmers from the Dina district were in town last week.

Membership tickets of the Chauvin Athletic Association are now on sale.

The Chauvin Orchestra are giving a dance on Friday evening April 29th from 8.30 to 12 o'clock. Good music will be supplied and a pleasant evening is assured, with time to have a good sleep to fit one for the next day's duties.

Village Clean Up Ordered By Council

The Chauvin Village Council have published in the columns of this issue a notice calling upon all the citizens of Chauvin to clean up their backyards and premises on or before the 7th day of May. In the event of this duty being left unperformed, the council will have same done, and the

cost will be charged to the premises and collected therefrom after the manner of taxes.

Chauvin has earned the reputation of being one of the cleanest villages in Alberta. This position can only be maintained by continued effort. It is futile for ninety per cent of our citizens to try and keep the premises clean when rubbish and paper con-

tinually blows over from the small minority of dirty yards. Thence the necessity of these penalties.

Our readers have decided to maintain a keen competition for the prizes offered by the Chauvin Women's Institute, and everything points to the fact that Chauvin will, this year, well uphold and maintain her splendid reputation.

SEEDS

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" " "	per 100 lbs	20.00
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" " "	per 100 lbs	19.00
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Ode To A Mudlark

A peculiar bird is the Mudlark,
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But wallows into the deepest slough
And stays right there if he can't get through
And sends for the Lord of Kinsmere true
To pull him out on the dry.

He never follows the beaten trail,
But charges along with the wind in his tail
Till he spies a hole that's full of muck,
Till then he considers himself in luck.

The ladies admire this beautiful bird,
And strange to say he can talk
And charms them all as he buzzes along,
Till they have to get out and walk.

So girls beware, take heed, take care!
Whether you're sixty or sweet sixteen,
The gay Mudlark will get you sure
If you don't watch out "You know what I mean"

Improvement Of Seed Potatoes

F. T. Rickett, a prominent farmer some eight miles east of Edmonton, is one of the first farmers in the Edmonton district to go in for the production of registered seed potatoes. To a great many farmers potatoes are

just "potatoes," but Mr. Rickett, who has made a very close study of this crop, does not grow just "potatoes." They must be either first class, certified or registered, and judging from the results that he has obtained registered potatoes are a profitable business.

Registered potato seed is pure as to variety, true to type, high yielding power, hardy, vigorous and the ability to resist disease. This covers practically all of the qualities that potatoes can possess and leaves but little to be desired.

Mr. Rickett grows the Irish Cobbler, a variety which has given the highest yields when tested out last summer in the co-operative tests conducted on the farms of eight potato growers in Edmonton district by the University of Alberta. The variety Mr. Rickett says, "is a matter that must be decided by the grower and should be most suitable to the district, as well as being in demand in

the larger markets. The Irish Cobbler has proven not only to be the heaviest yielder in this district but is probably the most popular variety in the American continent.

A great many potato growers, including growers with long experience believe that the potato seed must be changed occasionally in order to get the best results, regardless of what conditions the seed may have been produced in. On the other hand, others put forth the claim that only under extreme conditions should the seed be changed. Mr. Rickett from his experience has found it advisable not to change the seed unless the grower is unable to take proper care of his seed by the use of the seed plot and by rotating the crop with other crops. Rotation is recommended under all conditions and if it is found necessary to change the seed the grower should buy seed only from a reliable source. Certified seed, or one better, registered seed, although it is most expensive, it is cheapest in the long run, as in purchasing registered seed the grower is assured that he is securing stock which is not only true to variety, but stock of which a record of performance is kept from the time it is planted until it is stored and only plants that are free from disease are allowed to mature, and all must be strong.

"In growing registered seed," says Mr. Rickett, "one must have knowledge of the variety that he intends to grow and each season procure enough elite stock to plant a seed plot for the following season."

In growing registered seed elite seed is secured every year to seed a plot to grow enough seed to plant the seed plot the next year. During the growing season a number of the most desirable hills are marked to insure a supply for the next season's plot. It is advisable to select a few extra hills to allow for any discards. At planting time an equal number of tubers are chosen from the hills selected in this way, or the mother hills, and these are planted in short rows, each tuber being marked so that a record of performance can be kept from each. This method serves three very important purposes. It affords a medium of pure seed of superior quality, provides a means of maintaining the purity and vigor of improved stock from year to year, and provides the grower with a supply of elite stock each year which is capable of giving larger and better crops for the grower, of a class which is in demand for seed, and is worth twice as much as ordinary potatoes.

To get the best results in growing registered seed, Mr. Rickett says that the greatest essential is a knowledge of the variety of potatoes that is being grown. Unless the grower is familiar with the variety and knows when he has the right type, he may be doing more harm than good.

a marked decline. This little illustration shows that we should not be stampeded by statistics, it pays to investigate the relative value of comparative figures.

Ontario has voted by a large majority for prohibition of importation of liquor from other provinces, just as Alberta did. The vote does not necessarily mean that the province is permanently wedded to its present liquor act any more than did the similar vote in Alberta last autumn. Premier Drury is reported to have "advised those who honestly wanted government control to vote 'Yes.'"

"An experiment with the sale of liquor for beverage purposes under Government control is being made in British Columbia. This will be watched with interest by the citizens of Alberta. Our law, improved and strengthened at the recent session will offer a fair comparison, and the government of this province, having enacted a prohibition law under petition and by vote of the people, is not

prepared to repeat it, or even amend it in the way of lessening its restrictions, except upon a well considered mandate of Alberta citizens.

The provincial government is taking power to hold a plebiscite if it should be deemed necessary, or if it should be demanded by a petition signed in a similar manner to that which originally brought this act into force, and setting out some definite system of liquor control to take the place of the present system.

"Swat the fly" is a good spring and summer time slogan, but it should not be taken too literally. The proper time to attack the fly is in the embryo—th making. A pail of water tinctured with formaldehyde poured over a heap of refuse will destroy more flies in five minutes than you can kill by the swat method in a summer. "Swat the fly," but do it principally by keeping your premises clean and free of all garbage in which flies can breed.

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The Editor's Table

THE VALUE OF STATISTICS

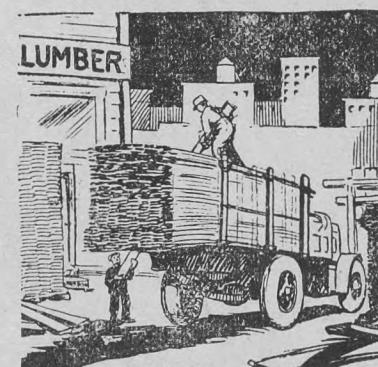
A clever man can prove anything by statistics mainly because statistics appear to be cool facts without any artistic decoration. But it is unwise at any time to take statistics at their face value without further investigation and this is particularly true at the present time when trade figures show marked decreases. "Blue ruin" experts seize upon these declines as statistical proof of the fact that business has gone to the dogs but calm consideration of the facts does not support such a dismal view. In 1920 the Canadian dollar purchased just about the same quantity of goods, services or any other commodity as fifty cents did in 1913. One dollar in 1913 had a purchasing value equal to that of two dollars in 1920. to-day the dollar will purchase more than it did last year. According to figures published by the department of labor \$14.48 was the cost per week of staple foods required by an average family of five people during January 1921, as compared with \$15.30 in January 1920. It will be seen from these figures that even though people buy as great a quantity of food as they did last year the trade figures will show

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Coffee, Whole,	3 lbs for	1.10
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A. E. KEITH

Chauvin

Grain Trade Commission Is Appointed

OTTAWA, April 14th, 1921.

Editor "Chronicle",

Chauvin, Alberta.

Dear Sir:-

I am enclosing copy of an order-in-Council just passed appointing a Commission to investigate the grain trade and outlining their duties. It will be observed that each of the three Prairie Provinces is represented on this Commission and in addition the Eastern Canada interests are represented by Mr. Lincoln Goldie of Guelph, Ont.

It is most desirable that this Commission when they sit should get all the information possible from the farmers' standpoint as to the abuses that undoubtedly exist in the grain trade, and where possible definite and specific information should be given. I am not sure at the present time what the programme of the Commission will be as to where they will hold their sittings and when, but this undoubtedly will be given general publicity through the press later on.

I consider it desirable that every locality should be apprised fully of this inquiry and for that reason I am sending you full particulars at hand up to the present time.

Yours very truly

W. J. BLAIR

Certified copy of a Report of the Committee of the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Deputy Governor General on the 12th April, 1921.

Privy Council
Canada.

The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a Report, dated 11th April, from the Minister of Trade has had under consideration the present methods and system of the handling and marketing of grain, particularly wheat, in Canada, and the possibility of improvements therein and has taken cognizance of the discussions in the House of Commons upon the subject and stating that he is of the opinion that it would be to the public advantage that an inquiry should be made into the whole matter.

The minister therefore recommends that a Commission be issued by the Governor in Council, under and in pursuance of the provisions of part 1 of the Inquiries Act, Chapter 104, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, appointing the Honorable James Duncan Hyndman, Judge of the Supreme Court of Alberta, William D. Staples, Fort William, Ont. J. H. Haslam, Regina, Sask. and Lincoln Goldie, Guelph, Ont. commissioners to inquire into and report upon the subject of handling and marketing of grain in

Canada, and in particular, but without restricting the generality of the foregoing terms, upon the following matters:

1. The Grading and Weighing of grain.
2. The handling of grain in and by country elevators, and from country points.
3. The grain Exchanges.
4. Financing of grain.
5. The handling of grain at terminals and the charges therefor.
6. The operation of public and private elevators, and Eastern public elevators.
7. Lake shipments
8. The shipment of grain to Atlantic and Pacific ports.

and in addition to the powers in that by the Letters Patent of Commission aforesaid, to engage the services of such accountants, engineers, technical advisers, or other experts, clerks, reporters, and assistants as they deem necessary or advisable, and also the services of counsel to aid and assist them in such inquiry; and to authorize and depute any such accountants, engineers, technical advisers, or other experts, or any other qualified persons, to inquire into any matter within the scope of the Commission, as may be directed by the commissioners; and that such persons may be authorized, in the execution of the powers so deputed or authorized, to exercise the same powers which the commissioners have to take evidence, issue subpoenas, enforce attendance of witnesses, compel them to give evidence, and otherwise conduct the inquiry.

The Minister further recommends that the said commissioners be required and directed to report to the Governor-in-Council the result of their investigations, together with the evidence taken before them, and any recommendations that they may see fit to express thereon.

The Committee concur in the foregoing recommendations and submit the same for approval.

(Signed) RUDOLPH BORDEAU,
Clerk of the Privy Council

To Prevent Smut In Your Oat Crop

Oats were free from smut last year on some farms. On other farms they contained as much as one-third smut. The difference was not in the land or, altogether, in the seed, but in the farmer. Those who carefully treated their seed oats with formalin escaped this severe loss. Smut is more or less common in practically all untreated oats, and many farmers who know about the treatment simply neglect to treat the seed. Those who have been persuaded to apply the treatment express surprise at its simplicity and ease and are convinced

that a gain of from one dollar to five dollars per acre has been made. The treatment for an acre requires only a few cents worth of formalin, a bucket of water and a few minutes work. The following method is recommended: Mix one pint of formalin with 40 gallons of water. Place the grain to be treated in a heap on a clean canvas or floor. Sprinkle the formalin solution over the grain, then shovel the grain over into another pile so as to mix it thoroughly, then sprinkle and shovel again. Repeat this until every grain is moistened by the solution; then cover the pile with sacking and leave for three or four hours. At the end of this time, spread the grain out thinly to dry; shovelling it over three or four times will hasten drying. Forty gallons of the formalin solution is sufficient to sprinkle between thirty and forty bushels of grain.

Never expose wet grain to a temperature below freezing. If the grain is sown while moist, it will not run so freely as dry grain; for this reason open up the drill somewhat or the stand will be too thin.

Gopher Poisoning Season Now On

Just now is the time to get after the gophers. Strychnine, Gophericide Kill-Em-Quick, and Mickelson's, any one or all of which we sold before and are new to you. We want to tell you however that we have this year added a new one called "The

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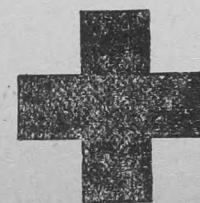
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And this is also a call to every citizen who can and will, to give their service to the organization, to assist in the work of personally extending to every individual the opportunity and privilege of this membership. Organizers from Alberta Red Cross Headquarters are now engaged in visiting every district in the Province. You are invited and urged to identify yourself with the Campaign Committee in your locality, and give the campaign your co-operation and service.

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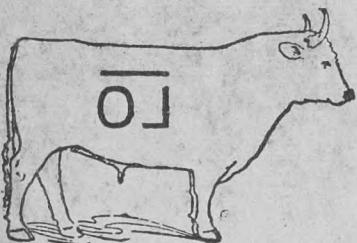
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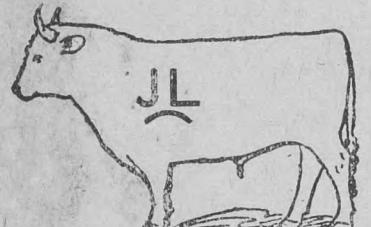
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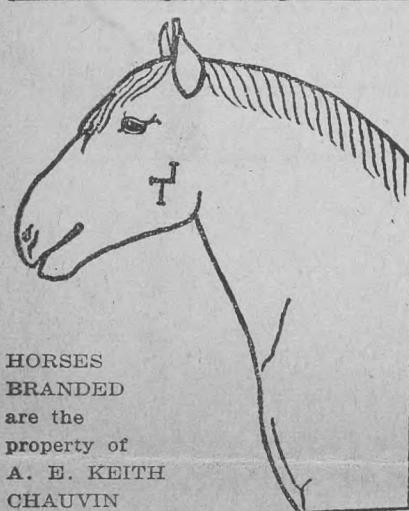
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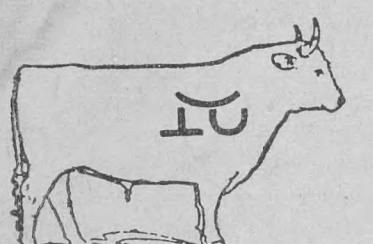
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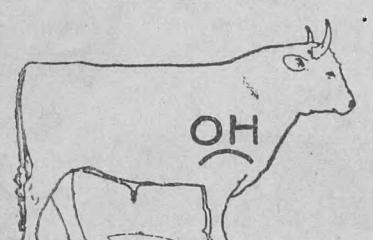
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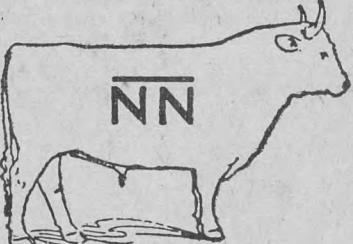
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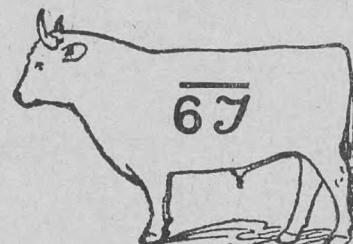
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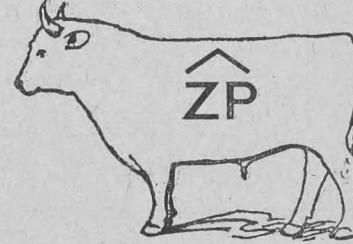
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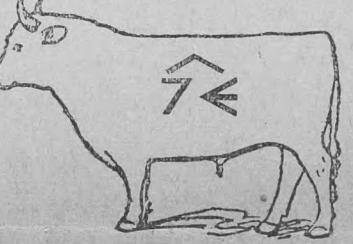
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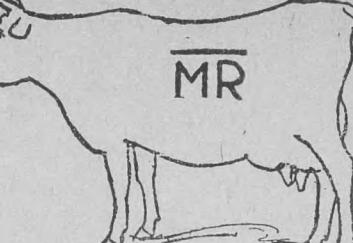
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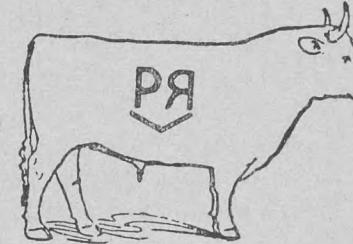
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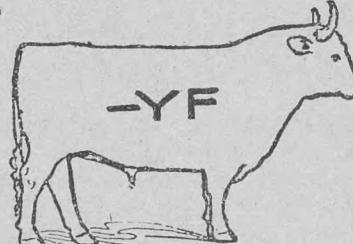
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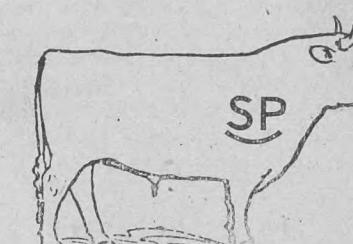
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The undersigned auctioneer has received instructions from Mr. Andrew Petrie, who has rented his farm for three years, to sell without reserve, by Public Auction, the following list of Horses, Implements, Household effects, &c., on his farm at North half of 34-43-2, w 3rd, four miles Northeast of Chauvin at one o'clock on Monday May 2nd

TWELVE HEAD OF HORSES

The following horse have all been fed oats and are all ready for spring work. 1 team of Grey Geldings, 2700 lbs; 1 team of Bay Geldings, 2800 lbs; 1 Bay Clyde Mare, 1400 lbs; 2 Three year old Fillies, 1200 lbs each, broke this spring; 1 Four year old Filly, 1250 lbs; 1 team Bay Mares, in foal to registered Clydesdale horse, weight is about 2500lbs; 1 1 year old Filly; These horses are a splendid set of working farm horse.

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STRAYED: TO V. DALLYN'S place, Bay Mare, white spot in fore head, about 5 years old, weight about 1150, unbroken, has been around here for about two years. S.E. 6-43-2. V. Dallyn, Ribstone.

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Public notice is hereby given that all garbage, ashes, cans, offal, all refuse, paper, etc. be cleaned up on all premises before May 7th or the Village will authorize having same done at owners expense.

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